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In re the Application of: Satoshi IITAKA et al.

Serial No.: 09/923,914

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS

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FOR: ENGINE FUEL PUMP MOUNTING STRUCTURE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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November 13, 2001

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated September 13, 2001, enclosed for filing is an Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified patent application.

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Declaration for U.S. Patent Application

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled
(Insert Title) ENGINE FUEL PUMP MOUNTING STRUCTURE
the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following is checked

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(List prior foreign applications. See note A on back of this page)	<u>2000-245015</u>	<u>JAPAN</u>	<u>11/August/2000</u>	Priority Claimed
	(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	<u>XX</u> Yes <u> </u> No
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